OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF HEALTH AND FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES, BANGALORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 5TH APRIL 1969.

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1 Plague.

The State remained free from Plague during the week as in the previous week. Comparative figures for the corresponding week during 1967 and 68 were nil attacks with nil deaths and nil attacks with nil deaths, respectively.

2 Small-pox.

A total of 7 attacks with one death from small-pox was reported from the entire State *viz.*, from the City of Davangere and from Taluk of Indi as againsts16 attacks with 6 deaths reported during the correspouding week of the previous year. As a preventive meanre, 37,524 vaccinations have been done.

3 Cholera.

A total of 5 attacks with one death from cholera was reported for the entire State *viz.*, from the taluks of Chamarajnagar, Gundlupet and Nanjangud during the week as against 11 attacks with 8 deaths reported during the corresponding week of the last year. As a preventive measure, 1,764 anti-cholera inoculations have been done.

4 K. F. Diseases.

A total of 38 attacks with nil deaths from K. F. Disease was reported from Shimoga District, as against 22 attacks with one death reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

5 (a) Yellow Fever, Relapsing Fever, Infectious Hepatitis and Influenza.

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6 City and Corporation.

The total mortality for Bangalore City Corporation amounted to 235 (94 in hospitals) for the week as against 297 (156 in hospital) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 12.0 (7 2 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 15.2 (7.2 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 15 were due to dysentery and diarrhoea, one due to consumption and 219 due to all other causes, as against 27 due to dysentery and diarrhoea 11 due to consumption and 259 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The total mortality for Mysore City amounted 55 (41 in hospitals) for the week as against 52 (32 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 11.0 (2.8 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 10.4 (4.0 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 4 were due to other fevers, and 51 due to all other causes as against one was due to cholera one due to typhoid, one due to small-pox, 4 due to other fevers 6 due to dysentry and diarrhoea, one due to comsumption and 38 due to all other causes.

The total mortality for Belgaum City amounted to 25 (25 in hospitals) for the week as against 24(17 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 8.5 (nil excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 8.1 (2.3 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week for the last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 2 were due to consumption and 23 due to all other causes, as against 2 were due to other fevers, one due to dysentery and diarrhoea, 3 due to consumption and 18 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The total mortality of Mangalore City amounted to 117 (115 in hospitals) for the week as against 2 (nil in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 36.6 (1.0 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 1.0 (1.0 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 6 were due to consumption and 11 due to all other causes, as against 2 were due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The total mortality for K. G. F. City amounted to 29 (29 in hospitals) for the week as against 9 (9 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 9.3 (nil excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) as against 2.9 (nil excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, One due to other fevers, 4 due to dysentery and diarrhoea and 24 due to all other causes as against one due to dysentery and diarrhoea and 8 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

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